



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Dietmar Spanke

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Title: LEVEL MEASURING DEVICE OPERATING  
WITH MICROWAVES

**RESPONSE**

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Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

The following amendments to the claims are being re-submitted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.121(h) in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on April 19, 2004

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.